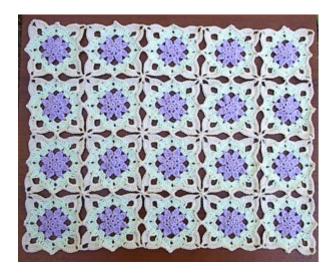
## **Lacy Flower Runner**



Materials: Crochet string, hook. Sample used J & P Coats Knit-Cro-Sheen, 1 ball each of lilac, mint green and ecru. Used size 5 steel crochet hook. Made 20 squares.

Stitches: ch = chain; sc = single crochet; dc = double crochet; hdc = half double crochet; trc = triple crochet; sp = space; sl = slip; st(s) = stitch(es); rnd = round; beg = beginning; sk = skip

**Square:** (Squares are joined on last rnd as they are worked.)

**Rnd 1:** Using color A string, ch 2, 8 sc in second ch from hook.

**Rnd 2:** Ch 3, sc in beg sc, (ch 3, sc in next sc) 7 times.

Rnd 3: SI st to ch-3 sp, ch 3, holding last loop of each trc on hook, 3 trc in beg ch-3 sp, yarn over hook, pull through all 4 loops on hook - beg 4-trc cluster made, ch 5, \* holding last loop of each trc on hook, 4 trc in next ch-3 sp, yarn over hook, pull through all 5 loops on hook - 4-trc cluster made, ch 3, 4-trc cluster in next ch-3 sp, ch 5, repeat from \* twice; 4-trc cluster in last ch-3 sp, ch 3, sl st in top of beg trc cluster. Cut yarn and fasten.

Rnd 4: Using color B string, make a slip knot on hook and join with an sc in ch-5 sp, (ch 2, 2 dc, ch 2, 4 dc) in beg ch-5 sp, \*4 dc in next ch-3 sp, (4 dc, ch 2, 4 dc) in next ch-5 sp, repeat from \* twice, 4 dc in next ch-3 sp, 1 dc in beg ch-5 sp, sl st in top of beg ch-2.

Rnd 5: Slip st in each of next 2 sts, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-2 sp, sc in next st, hdc in

each of next 2 sts, dc in each of next 2 sts, trc in next st, ch 4, trc in next st, dc in each of next 2 sts, hdc in each of next 2 sts, sc in next st] 4

times; sl st in beg sc. Cut yarn and fasten.

Rnd 6 Using color C string, make a slip knot on hook to join, [(sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-(1<sup>st</sup> sq.): 3 sp, sc in each of next 4 sts, sk next 3 sts, (6 trc, ch 5, 6 trc) in ch-4 sp,

3 sp, sc in each of next 4 sts, sk next 3 sts, (6 trc, ch 5, 6 trc) in ch-4 sp, sk next 3 sts, sc in each of next 4 sts] 4 times; sl st in beg sc. Cut yarn

and fasten.

Rnd 6 Using color C string, make a slip knot on hook to join, (sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-3 (joining 1 sp, sc in each of next 4 sts, sk next 3 sts, (6 trc, ch 2, sc in ch-5 sp of

**(joining 1** sp, sc in each of next 4 sts, sk next 3 sts, (6 trc, ch 2, sc in ch-5 sp of corresponding square wrong sides together, ch 2, 6 trc) in ch-4 sp, \* sk

sides): next 3 sts, sc in each of next 4 sts, (sc, ch 1, sc in ch-3 sp of

corresponding square, ch 1, sc) in ch-3 sp, sc in each of next 4 sts, sk next 3 sts, (6 trc, ch 2, sc in ch-5 sp of corresponding or diagonal square if

more than one, ch 2, 6 trc) in ch-4 sp, repeat from \* once if joining 2 sides, then continue same as first square. If joining 1 side, do not repeat

from \*, continue same as first square.

**Finishing:** Weave in all loose ends.

## **VARIATION FOR SOLID COLOR:**

**Rnds 1-3:** Same as main pattern. Do not cut yarn and fasten.

**Rnd 4:** SI st to ch-5 sp, sc in beg ch-5 sp, continue same as main pattern to end.

**Rnd 5:** Same as main pattern to end. Do not cut yarn and fasten.

**Rnd 6:** (Sc, ch 3, sc) in ch-3 sp, continue same as main pattern to end.

**SOURCE: Art of Angle**